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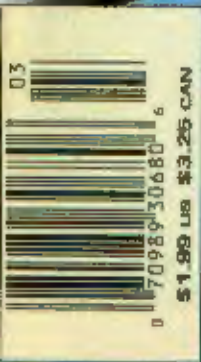
THE POWERPUFF GIRLS

I BET
TOWNSVILLE!

NO!...

...MAYOR...

...DON'T!



THE CITY OF TOWNSVILLE...

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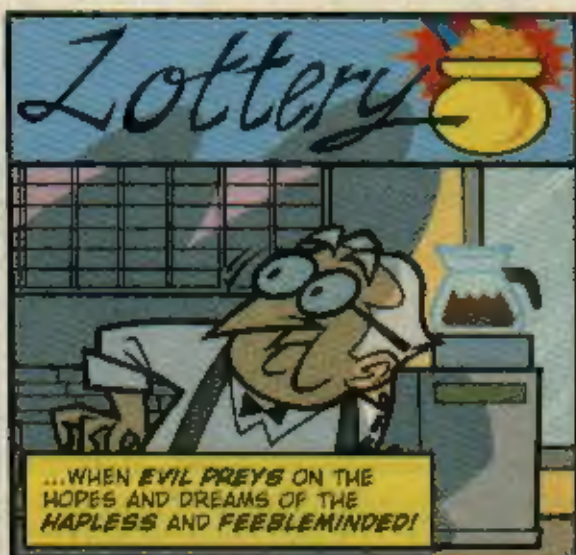


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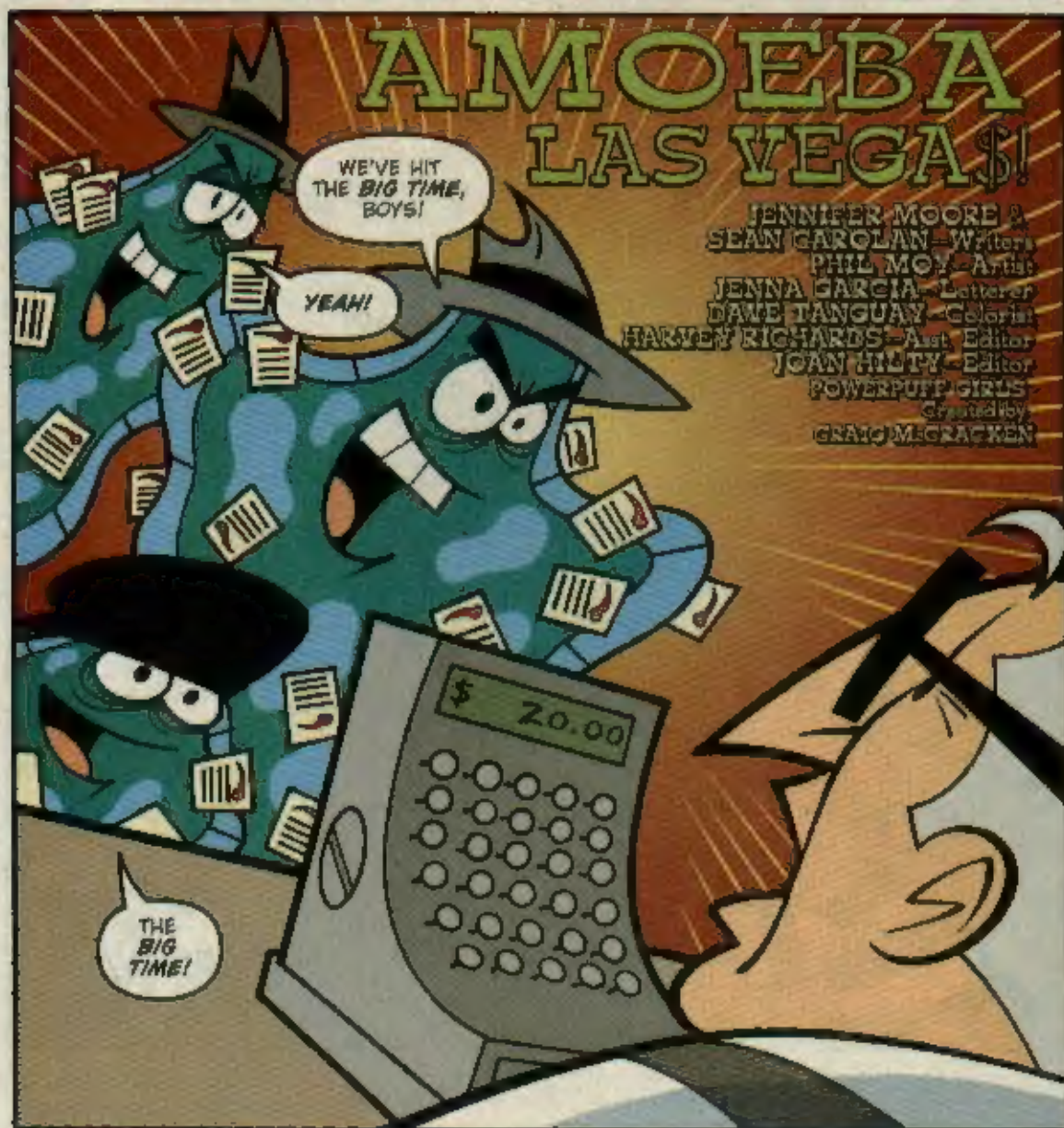
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BUT LUCK DOESN'T
COME CHEAP...



...WHEN EVIL PREYS ON THE
HOPES AND DREAMS OF THE
HAPLESS AND FEEBLEMINDED!



AMOEBAS LAS VEGAS\$!

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MOMENTS LATER...

WHAT
A RUN OF
BAD LUCK!
ALL I'VE GOT
LEFT IS THE
KEY TO THE
CITY AND MY
PRIDE!

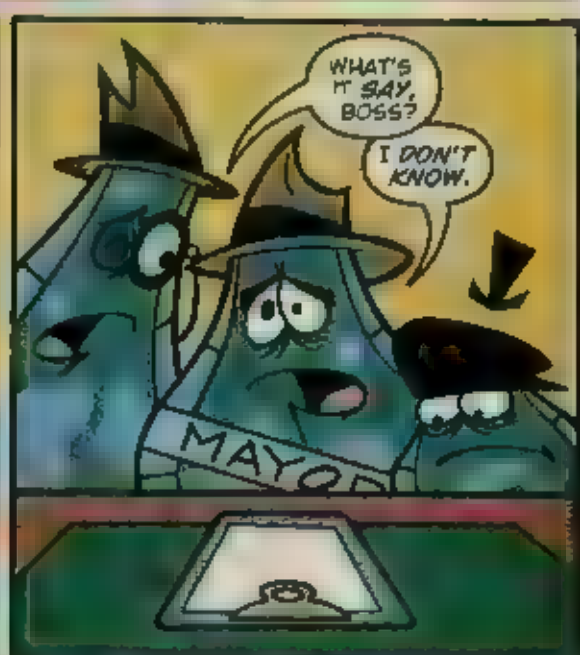
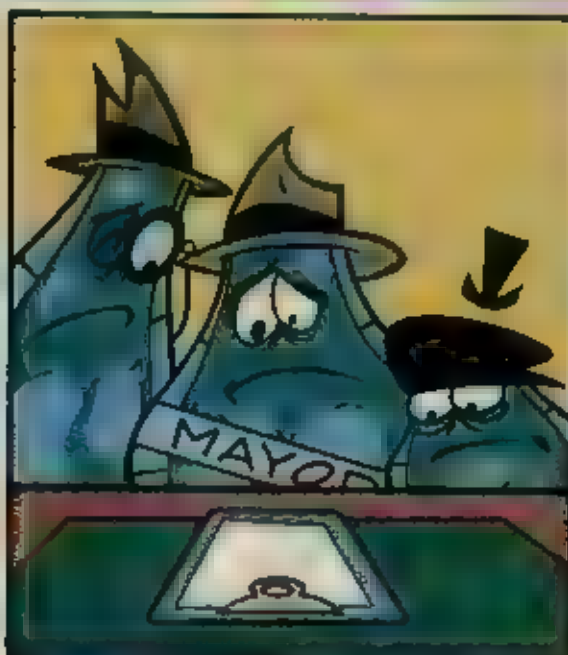
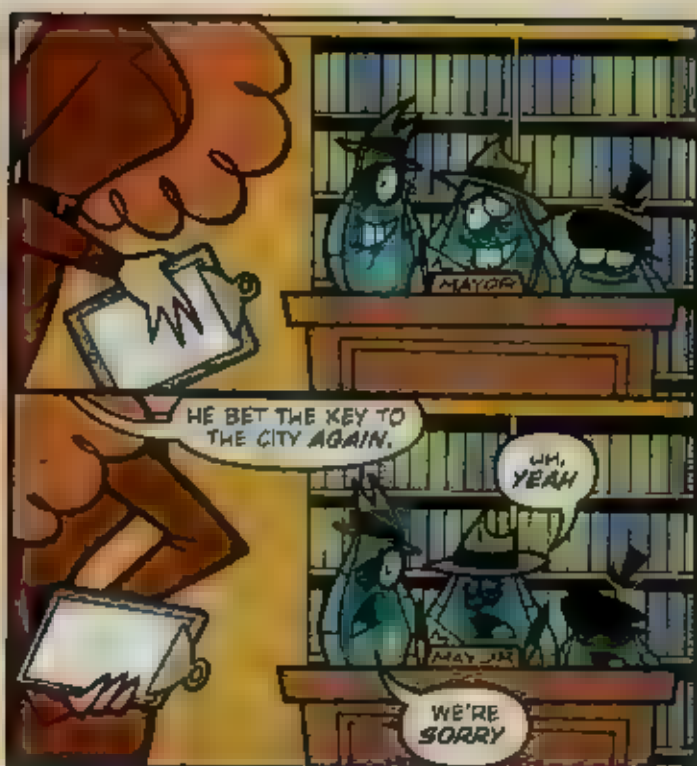
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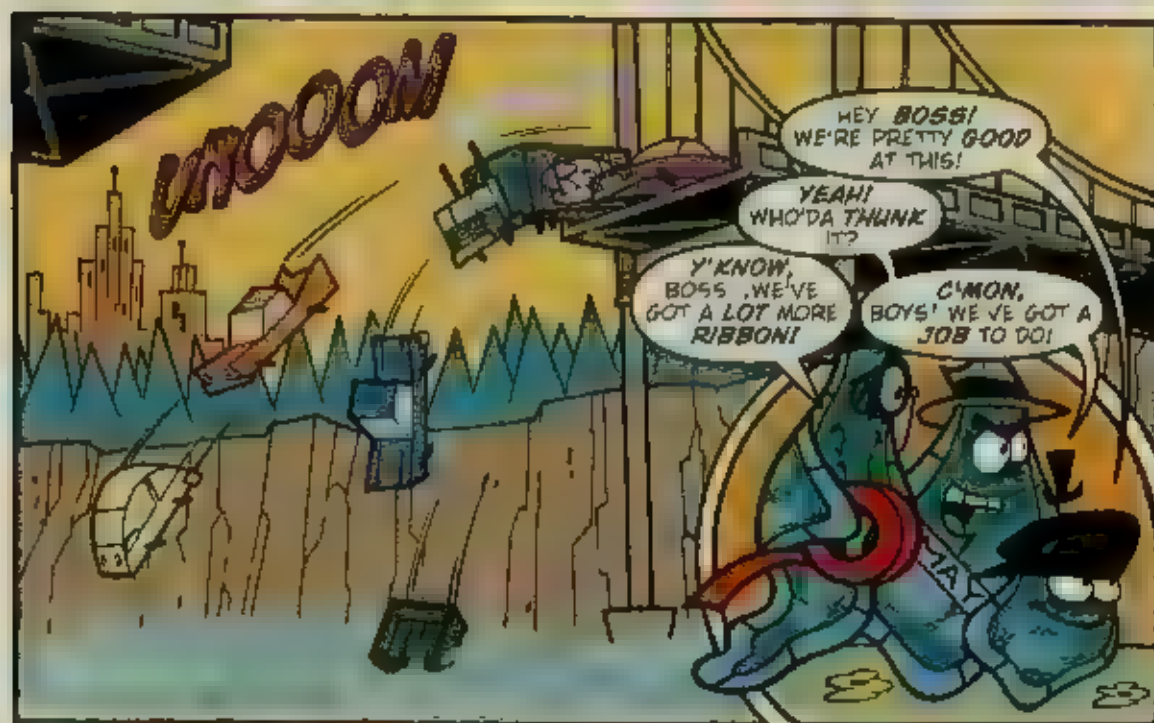
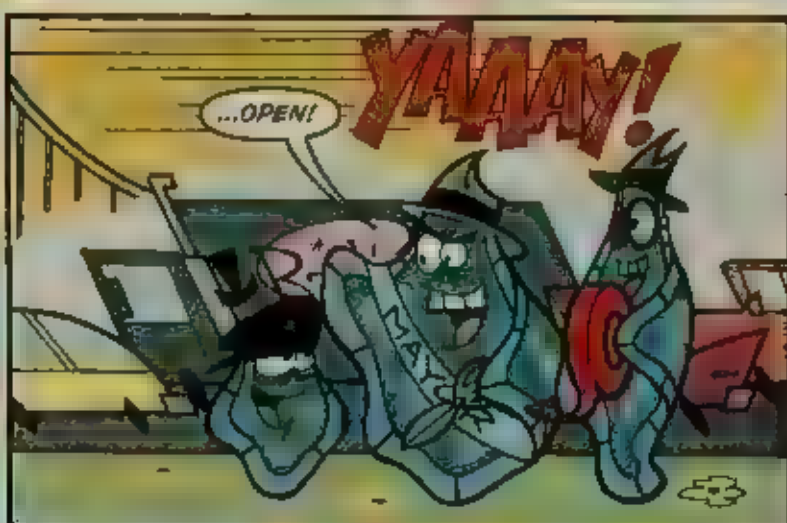
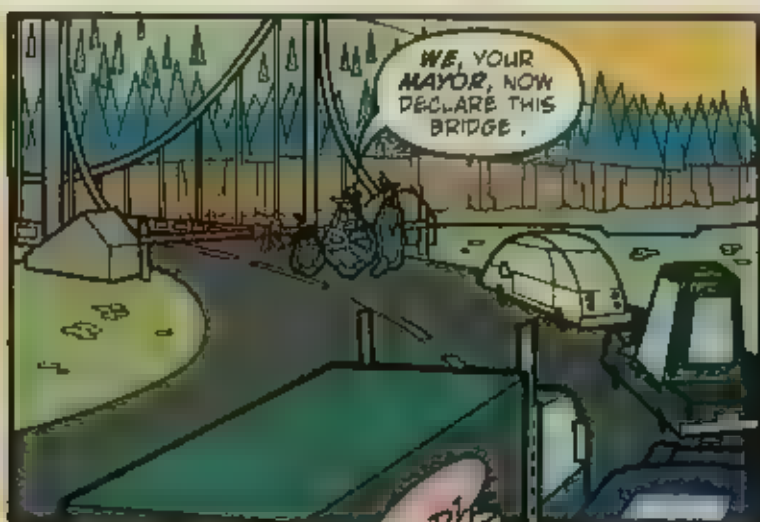
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BETCHA!!

WHAT'RE
WE GONNA DO
NOW, BOSS?

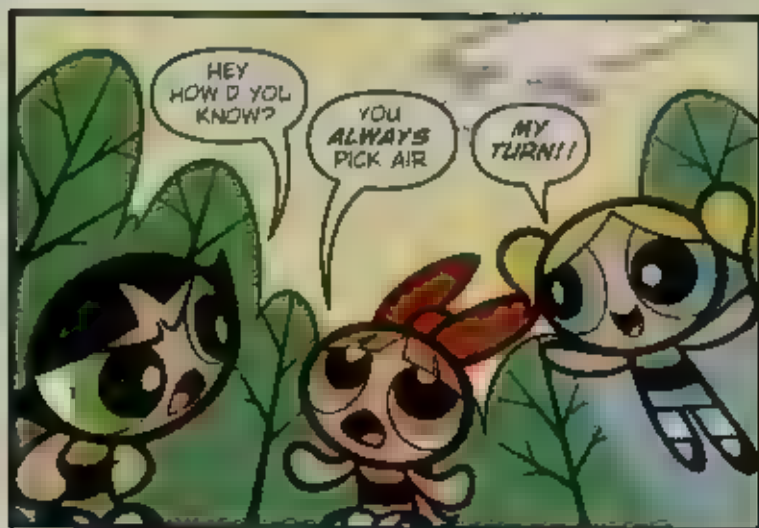
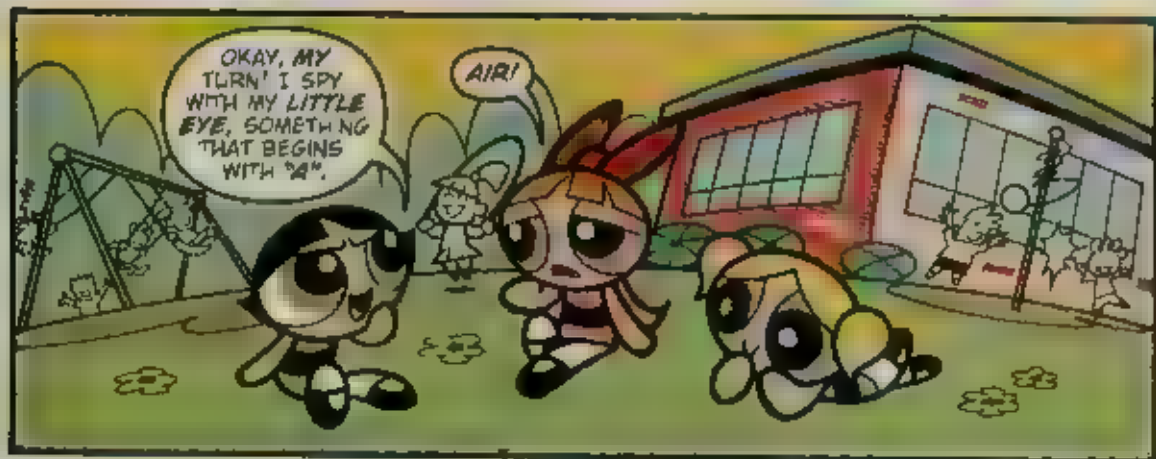
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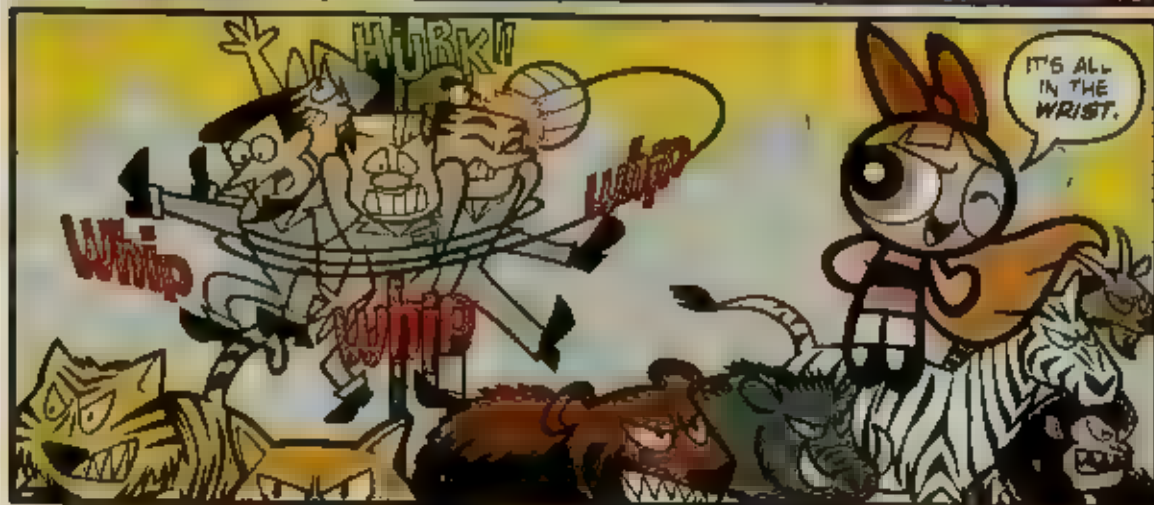
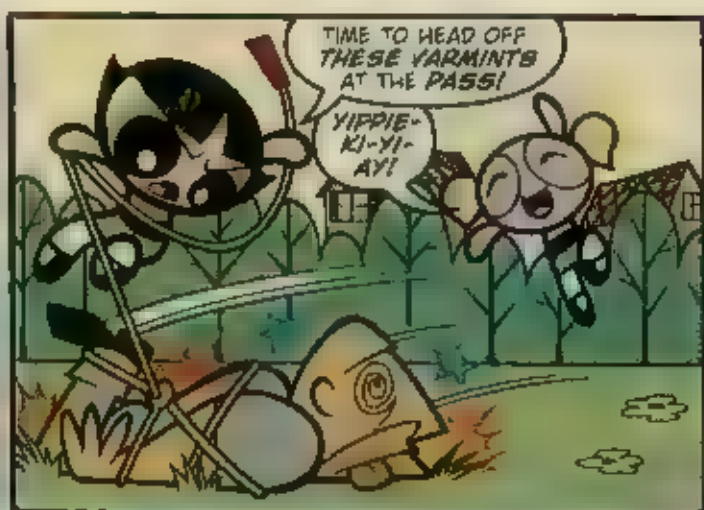
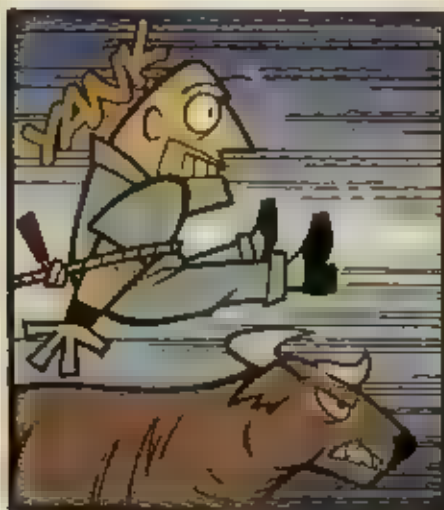
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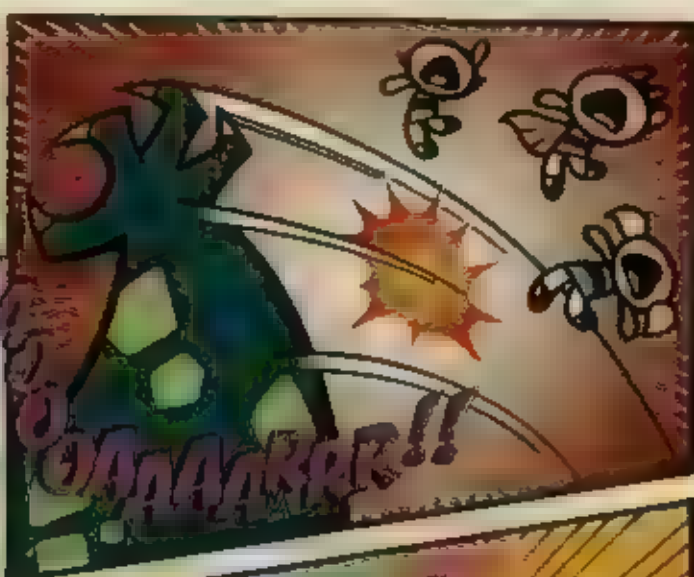


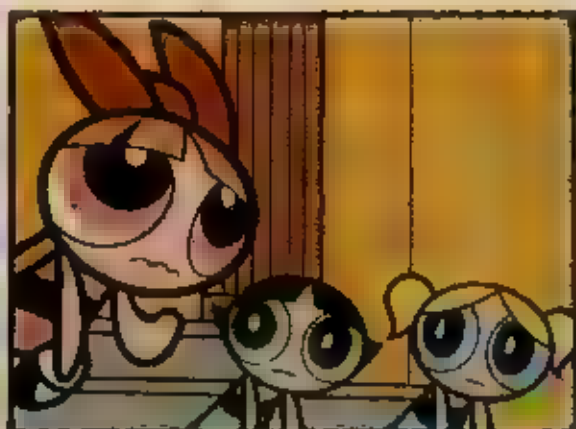
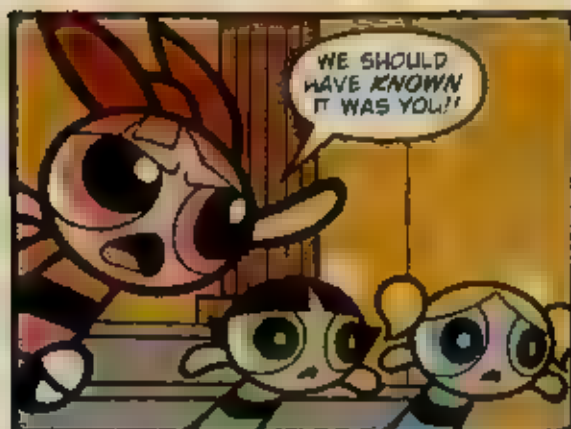


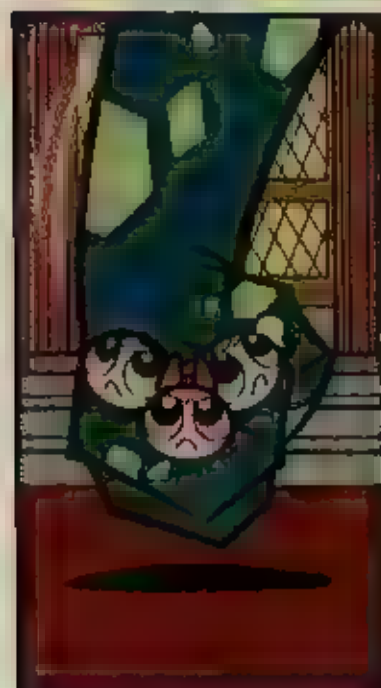
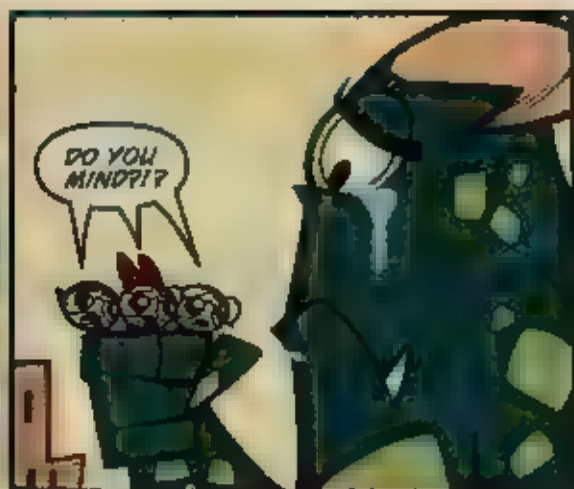








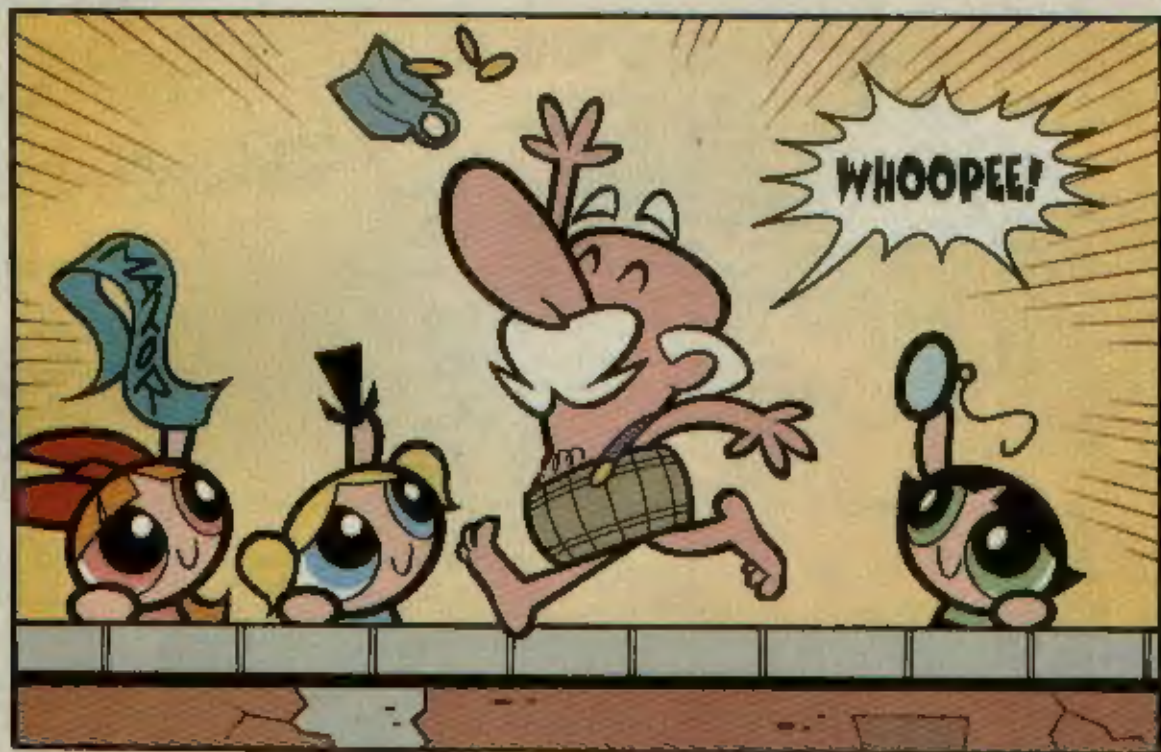












AND SO ONCE AGAIN, THE
DAY IS SAVED! THANKS TO
THE POWERPUFF GIRLS!!

WE'LL LAY ODDS ON
THEM, ANYTIME!



**THE
END**

SUGAR & SPICE

HALEY SMITH
DELAYAN, WI

Dear Powerpuff Girls,

I am 12 years old and I love the POWERPUFF GIRLS! My favorite girl is Buttercup. Second would be Blossom, and third Bubbles. Sorry, Bubbles — you're just too babyish. The reason I like Buttercup the best is that she is strong, cool, and because we look alike.

I have most of the comics. They are sooooo cool! I have two questions:

1. Do you think you could make the Rowdy Ruff Boys into a comic? I think that would be awesome!

2. Could you please put my letter in the Sugar and Spice page in the comic book? If you could, that would be great! Well, thank you!

1. Rowdy Ruff Boys?! Are they still around? We heard that they were still having flashbacks of the brutal beating they suffered the last time they fought the Powerpuff Girls. If we were them, we would stay as far away as possible from the comic, too. 2. Done. 3. Bubbles isn't "babyish." She's just really, really kind. And remember, kindness should never be mistaken for weakness. POWERPUFF GIRLS #21 should have proven that to you.

BECKY
VIA THE INTERNET

Awsome Powerpuff Girls comic books! My Dad gave me issue #13 and I was hooked!

In "Beat the Stuffings," when the Mayor called, he said his back was sore before telling Blossom that rotten Gangreen Gang was up to no good! What a waste of time on the phone! I bet his phone bills are a yard long.

I was glad that Mojo Jojo got hit by his own beam in "Paranoid Puffs." It was funny seeing him run and cry like a baby!

Also in "Beat the Stuffings," at the tricycle factory, the Gangreen Gang reminded the Powerpuffs they couldn't touch them because they had their toys. How did the girls know about Big Billy's toy, Mr. Squeakums?

Hey, what if the Powerpuffs told the Mayor to punish the Gangreen Gang and Mojo by making them

pay his yard-long phone bills? Hal! And they all get hit by Mojo's Paranoid Beam, making them all paranoid! Mojo and the Gangreen Gang would be stuck at home. Then it would cause less havoc in Townsville and that would mean fewer phone calls and phone bills for the Mayor.

How did the Powerpuff Girls know about Big Billy's favorite toy? Well, who doesn't have a favorite toy? I still have my first and favorite Superman toy. I call him Litt' man. Gosh, I love him. Never leave home without him.



Art by Jackson Dargie,
6 years old



Art by Kathleen Dargie,
5 years old

KARIS
SA TRUJILLO

Dear DC Comics,

I love your POWERPUFF GIRLS comic! In fact, I try to collect them all.

Can I please have an autograph from Phil Moy? He's a great artist!

There just isn't enough time in the day for Phil to draw and sign autographs for everyone — but he signs every cover we publish. Enjoy.

IAN GONLEY
MOUNT PROSPECT, IL

Dear DC Comics,

I am a big fan of DC Comics. I have a large collection. I discovered a mistake on page eleven of issue number 18 of the POWERPUFF GIRLS. In the first panel Blossom's dress is blue, not pink. Was this done for a

contest?
If so, am I the first one to find it?

Thank you.

Good catch, Ian. But the first person to catch this mistake was Rebecca-Sarah Yuk-Fong Latimer, the daughter of our fellow DC employee Lai-Wah Chung. There wasn't a contest — but if there were, you'd be in 2nd Place!

—Harvey Richards

Other DC Kids' Things:

LOONEY TUNES #86: Come back with us to the days of the Wild West, when men were men and ducks were deputy sheriffs, with disastrous results! And speaking of disasters, Elmer Fudd and Yosemite Sam try to work together with power tools!

CARTOON CARTOONS #9: When Muriel serves up a demon for dinner, it's up to Courage the Cowardly Dog to un-bewitch the kitchen in "Stray Cheese"! Plus, all-new tales featuring Cow and Chicken, Weasel and Baboon, Johnny Bravo, and the skateboarding skill of Ed Edd n Eddy!

SCOOBY-DOO #36: Chuck Dixon (NIGHTWING) takes on a whole different kind of detective yarn in "Case of the Cinema Spirit." Scooby and the gang track down a reclusive film star and discover a spooky switcheroo! Plus, a ghostly gondolier haunts the canals of Venice!

Betcha ya never guessed that Phil Moy and Dave Tanguay did this month's cover.

next issue:

Lonely Mojo Jojo builds himself a monster bride for Valentine's Day! Will the Girls have the heart to stop him — and her? Written by Ivan Velez Jr.; art by Christopher Cook and Mike DeCarlo; cover by Phil Moy.



Watch the Powerpuff Girls
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